Powell Valley Neighborhood Association Membership and Election Meeting Minutes 11/18/2022

Meeting opened at 7:06 pm. via Zoom

Board members in attendance:

- Stella Butler, VP
- Joe Lagerstrom, Secretary & Treasurer

Board members not in attendance:

• Janet Armstrong, Land Use

General membership in attendance:

- Jennifer Kaiser (Park Subcommittee Chair)
- Jeff Kaiser
- Allen Butler
- Regina Blake
- Nancy Inglehart
- Steve Solcz
- Karen Pyle
- Sue Renola

Non-members in attendance:

- Michael Gonzales (Community and Neighborhood Engagement)
- Barbara Snow (Multnomah County Behavioral Health Center)
- Councilman Vince Jones-Dixon (City Councilman)

Topics Discussed:

Barbara Snow presented re: Multnomah County Behavioral Health resources.

- 503-988-4888 for many crisis and non-crisis mental health services
- Where appropriate, they do in-home visits, sometimes with police
- They have a walk-in center on SE Division
- All services free

Jennifer Kaiser provided an East Gresham Park update:

- Arborist search was done related to the \$1,000 Grant, but found to be too expensive and we're not sure we need an arborist after all.
- We submitted a request to use the grant funds for something else (plants)
- Volunteers are needed for the park cleanups
- Signs donated by Hollywood Signs
- Suggestion provided: contact East Mult Co Soil and Water Conservation District for donated plants.
- Joe Lagerstrom provided a brief history of PVNA's work at the park

Elections:

Stella Butler announced each open position, announced the person who'd offered to fill that position and asked for additional volunteers to nominate themselves. No position had more

than one person running. Slate of officers put to vote was:

- President: Nancy Inglehart
- Land Use Chair: Janet Armstrong (re-elected)
- Vice President: Stella Butler (re-elected provided advanced written intent to run)
- Secretary: no nominations position vacant
- Treas: Karen Pyle

Slate of officers accepted by move, second and unanimous vote.

Other Business:

- Stella recommended volunteering for the Burnside bridge design committee
- Michael Gonzalles provided a link to a survey re: City of Gresham volunteering. A \$50 gift certificate will be given away to one of the respondents.
- Thank you's were expressed to Michael Gonzalles for his help with the park and the NA, Joe Lagerstrom for assistance to Stella and long service and to Stella Butler for very long services and being such a strong advocate for our community.

Meeting adjourned at 8;04 p.m. Respectfully, Joe Lagerstrom, Past Secretary